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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

International Application No.	PCT/JP00/02022	International Filing Date	03-30-2000	Priority Date Claimed	03-30-1999
Title of Invention	METHOD FOR PREPARING MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY				
Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US	Chihiro Kusunoki; Atsushi Fukushima				

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. This is a SECOND or SUSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9), (21) indicated below.
4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 37(c)(2)).
 - a. is attached hereto
 - b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under pCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 37(c)(3))
 - a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. have not been made and will not be made.
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under pCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. A FIRST preliminary amendment.
14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
15. A substitute specification.
16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.

17. A computer-readable form of the search listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 1.821-1.825
 18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
 20. Other items or information: return receipt postcard

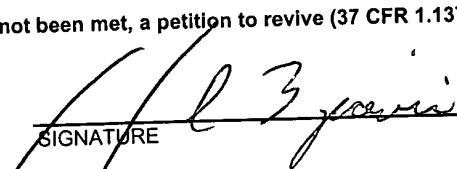
21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fees	CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY		
BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a) (1) - (5)): Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO..... International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Serach Report prepared by the EPO or JPO.... International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO..... International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). CLAIMS NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE TOTAL Total Claims 14 0 \$18.00 \$ - Independent Claims 1 0 \$80.00 \$ - <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) \$270.00 \$ 270.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS \$ 270.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2. SUBTOTAL \$ 1,130.00 Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English Translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = \$ 1,130.00 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property. TOTAL FEES \$ 1,130.00 			

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to
 Deposit Account 50-0815. If additional fees are required, including extensions of time, please consider
 this a petition therefore. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must
 be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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